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## HIGH COURT OF JHARKHAND, RANCHI

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### NOTIFICATION

The 10<sup>th</sup> February, 2016

**No. 02 /2016/R&S--**In exercise of the rule-making powers under Part X of the Code of Civil Procedure, 1908 (5 of 1908) and clause (d) of the sub-section (2) of Section 89 of the said Code, the High Court of Jharkhand, Ranchi hereby amend **Rule 4(b) and Rule 4(d) of the 'Civil Procedure Mediation Rules, 2003'** in the following manner;

(A) In Rule 4(b) of the 'Civil Procedure Mediation Rules, 2003' the word "fifteen" be substituted by "seven" so that the amended Rule read as follows;

"Legal practitioners with at least seven years' standing at the Bar at the level of the Supreme Court or the High Court; or the District Courts or Courts of equivalent status."

(B) In Rule 4(d) of the 'Civil Procedure Mediation Rules, 2003' the word "Institutions" be substituted with the words "Any society/organization/body of persons" and the words "High Court" appearing at two places be substituted with the word "Jharkhand State Legal Services Authority" so that the amended Rule read as follows;

"Any society/organization/body of persons which are themselves experts in mediation and have been recognised as such by the Jharkhand State Legal

**Services Authority, provided the names of its members are approved by the Jharkhand State Legal Services Authority initially or whenever there is change in membership."**

Aforesaid amendment shall take effect from the date of its publication in the Official Gazette of Jharkhand.

By order of the Court,

**Anil Kumar Choudhary**  
Registrar General.